



DON'T WORRY.
AFTER ALL, I'LL BE ABLE TO
CARRY OUT THE ENLISTMENT
REFERRAL STARTING FROM
NEXT MONTH. IN 5
DAYS TIME.

FROM
TOMORROW ON,
WE WILL BEGIN WITH
THE COORDINATION
TRAINING AT ONCE.

...SPEAKING
OF WHICH, I'M
SORRY FOR NOT
BEING ABLE TO
JOIN THE "KNIGHT
SQUADRON."



WELL, OF
COURSE.

Y-
YOU STILL
INTEND TO
GET ME INTO
THAT!?



YOU CAN
MAKE MORE
MACHINES
LIKE THAT!?



HAVE YOU
BEGUN TO
WANT IT?

IF YOU
WANT, I DON'T
MIND MAKING
ANOTHER ONE
ESPECIALLY
FOR YOU...

E-ERRR,
MORE IMPOR-
TANTLY, WAS
IT <CHIMERIC
WYVERN>?

THAT WAS
AMAZING,
EH?



IT IS 50%
STRONGER THAN A
GENERAL-PURPOSE
MACHINE DRAGON,
BUT THE OPERATION
DIFFICULTY ISN'T ON
THE SAME LEVEL AS
THAT OF AN AVERAGE
DIVINE DRAG-RIDE

ALSO THE
SWORD DEVICES'
DUAL WIELDING
CAN'T BE USED
BY ANYONE
OTHER THAN
ME...

EVEN
IF I DO MAKE
IT, IT WILL BE
USELESS NOW
THOUGH.



N-NO,
THANK
YOU...



DO YOU
WANT TO
TRY IT?





THINGS SUCH
AS 'YOU SHOULD
BE PROUD AS A
PRINCESS', OR
'IT'S A GREAT
ACHIEVEMENT'.

BE IT MY
TECHNIQUE OF
MACHINE DRAGON
DEVELOPMENT OR
RESULTS IN THE
SCHOOL BATTLES,

I'M OFTEN
TOLD THAT...



WHENEVER
I'M SUMMONED TO
THE CAPITAL FOR SUCH
THINGS... I'M FED
UP WITH IT..!



PLEASE,
ANSWER MY
QUESTION

LUX
ACADIA.

BEFORE
THAT,

WHAT
DO YOU
MEAN?





最弱無敗の UNDERWEAKEST BENEFICENT CHRONICLE
神装機竜
— パ ハ ム ー ト —

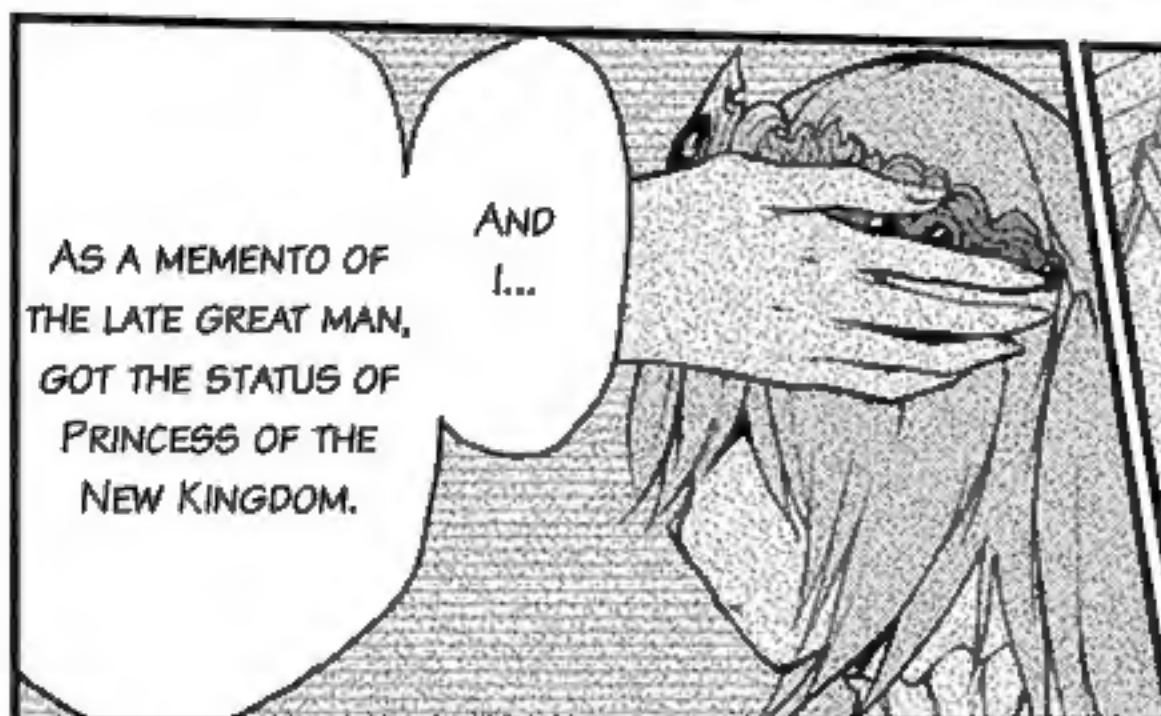
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WHO RAISED
A COUP D'ÉTAT, HAS
DIED WITHOUT SITTING
ON THE NEW KINGDOM'S
THRONE BECAUSE OF AN
INJURY AT THE TIME.

MY FATHER,
COUNT
ATISMATA



AS A MEMENTO OF
THE LATE GREAT MAN,
GOT THE STATUS OF
PRINCESS OF THE
NEW KINGDOM.

AND
I...



BUT, HIS
FAME REMAINS
AND MY AUNT,
QUEEN RAFFI
SUCCEEDED THE
COUNTRY.



I'M
MERELY,

THAT MUCH
OF A HUMAN.



BUT,
THE CITIZENS
GAVE PRAISE

AND
EXTOLLED
THE IDOL WHO
IS ME...

THAT'S
NOT...



THE OLD
EMPIRE HAD
THOROUGHLY LAID
OUT A TYRANNICAL
RULE AFTER ALL

AS A SUBSTITUTE,
THEY FORCE ME TO BE
A SPLENDID PERSON OF
CHARACTER, LIKE A
PRINCESS.



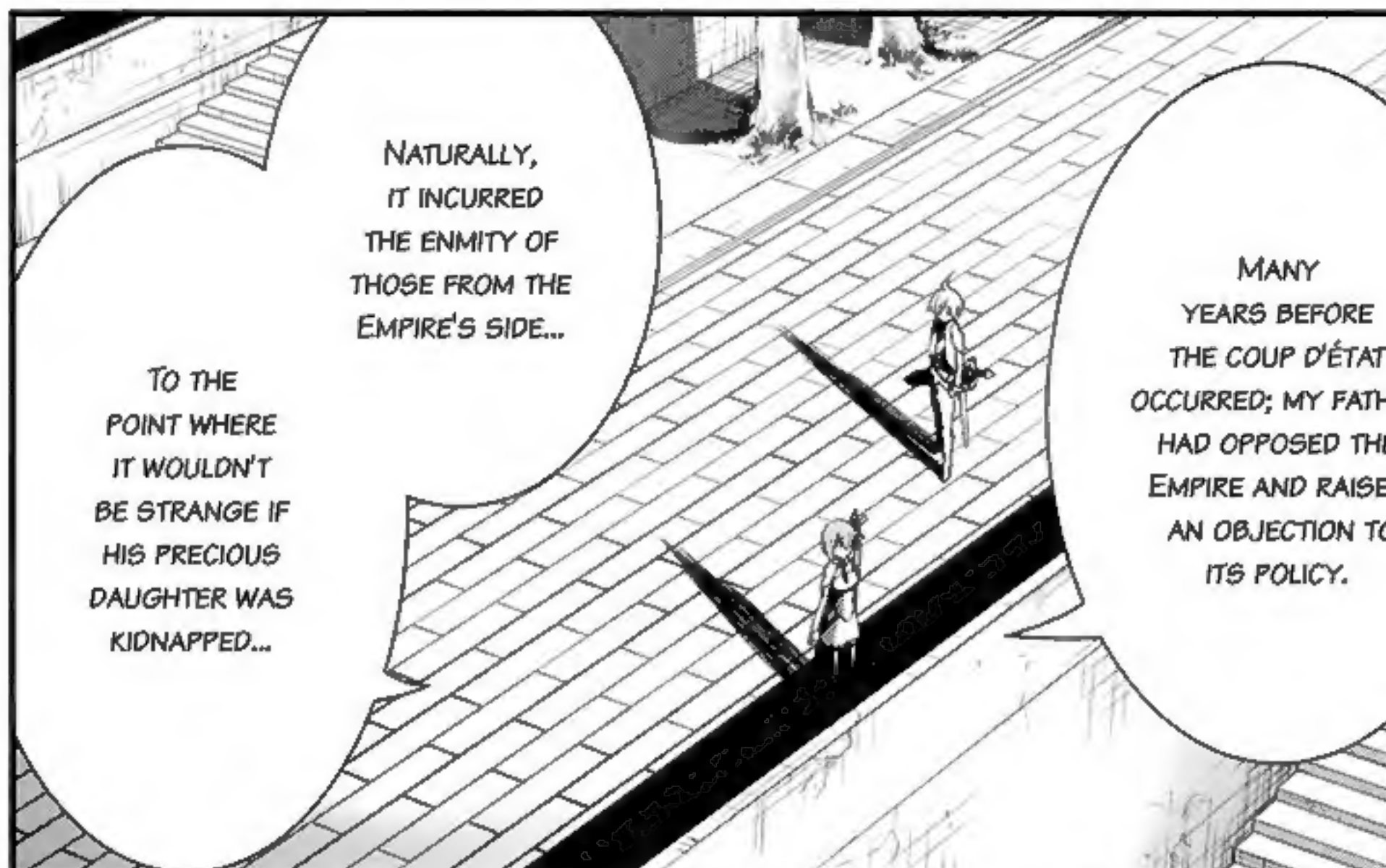
THEY'LL BLAME
ME SAYING THINGS
LIKE, 'YOU HAVE THAT
RESPONSIBILITY' OR
'CARRY OUT YOUR
MISSION.'

IF I DON'T
DO IT...



LUX

DO YOU REMEMBER
THE OLD EMPIRE'S
BRAND APPLIED ON
MY STOMACH?



NATURALLY,
IT INCURRED
THE ENMITY OF
THOSE FROM THE
EMPIRE'S SIDE...

TO THE
POINT WHERE
IT WOULDN'T
BE STRANGE IF
HIS PRECIOUS
DAUGHTER WAS
KIDNAPPED...

MANY
YEARS BEFORE
THE COUP D'ÉTAT
OCCURRED; MY FATHER
HAD OPPOSED THE
EMPIRE AND RAISED
AN OBJECTION TO
ITS POLICY.



DON'T TELL
ME...





THIS
CARVED
SEAL

IS THE PROOF THAT
I WAS CONSIDERED
THE POSSESSION OF
THE OLD EMPIRE.





HE COULDN'T
POSSIBLE RUIN THE
WHOLE COUNTRY...

IN FACT,
BECAUSE OF
JUST ONE LIFE,
THAT WHICH IS
HIS DAUGH-
TER'S...

BUT ALL I
COULD THINK
ABOUT WAS
MY FAMILY.

IT HAD ONLY
BEEN ABOUT
TWO MONTHS
THAT I WAS
IMPRISONED...

INSTEAD OF
I, WHO WAS
NO LONGER
THE COUNT'S
DAUGHTER,

SO, IN THE
DAWN OF WHEN
THE COUP D'ÉTAT
SUCCEEDED...

MY MOTHER DIED
FROM ILLNESS, BUT I
HAD A LITTLE SISTER.

THAT CHILD
SHOULD HAVE
BECOME THE
PRINCESS OF THE
NEW KINGDOM.

...HOWEVER,
IT SEEMS THAT
MY LITTLE SISTER
WAS ALSO KILLED
DURING THE COUP
D'ÉTAT.



SO MY
AUNT WHO
HAD NO
CHILD,

ACCEPTED ME, WHO
WAS RESCUED, AS
HER ADOPTED CHILD
AND I ACCEDED TO
THE POSITION AS
PRINCESS.

I WAS ABANDONED
BY MY LATE FATHER
AND BRANDED BY
THE OLD EMPIRE...

THOSE
FACTS WERE
CONCEALED.







I THINK THAT
THE JUDGMENT OF
MY FATHER WHO
ABANDONED ME
OVER THE COUNTRY,
IS SOMETHING VERY
BRAVE AND WHICH
SHOULD BE PRAISED.

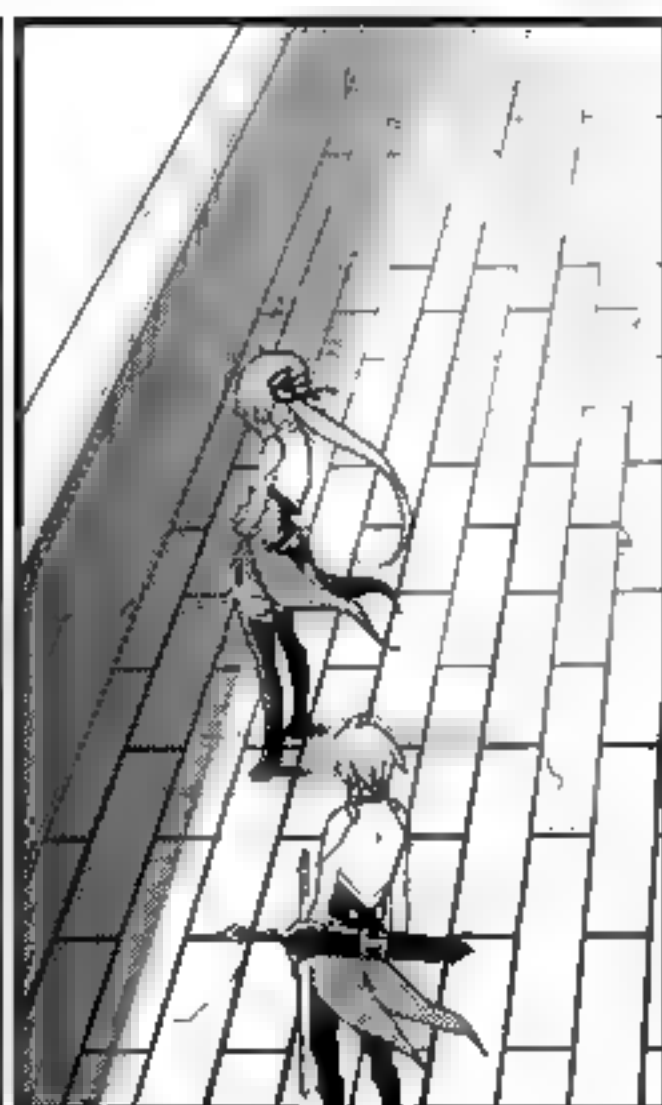
HE MIGHT HAVE
RATHER PRETENDED
TO ACT INDIFFERENT
TOWARDS, ME TO KEEP
ME AWAY FROM THE
DANGER OF THE COUP
D'ÉTAT.

WHEN I
THINK ABOUT
IT NOW...



HOWEVER...

EVEN
SO, I...

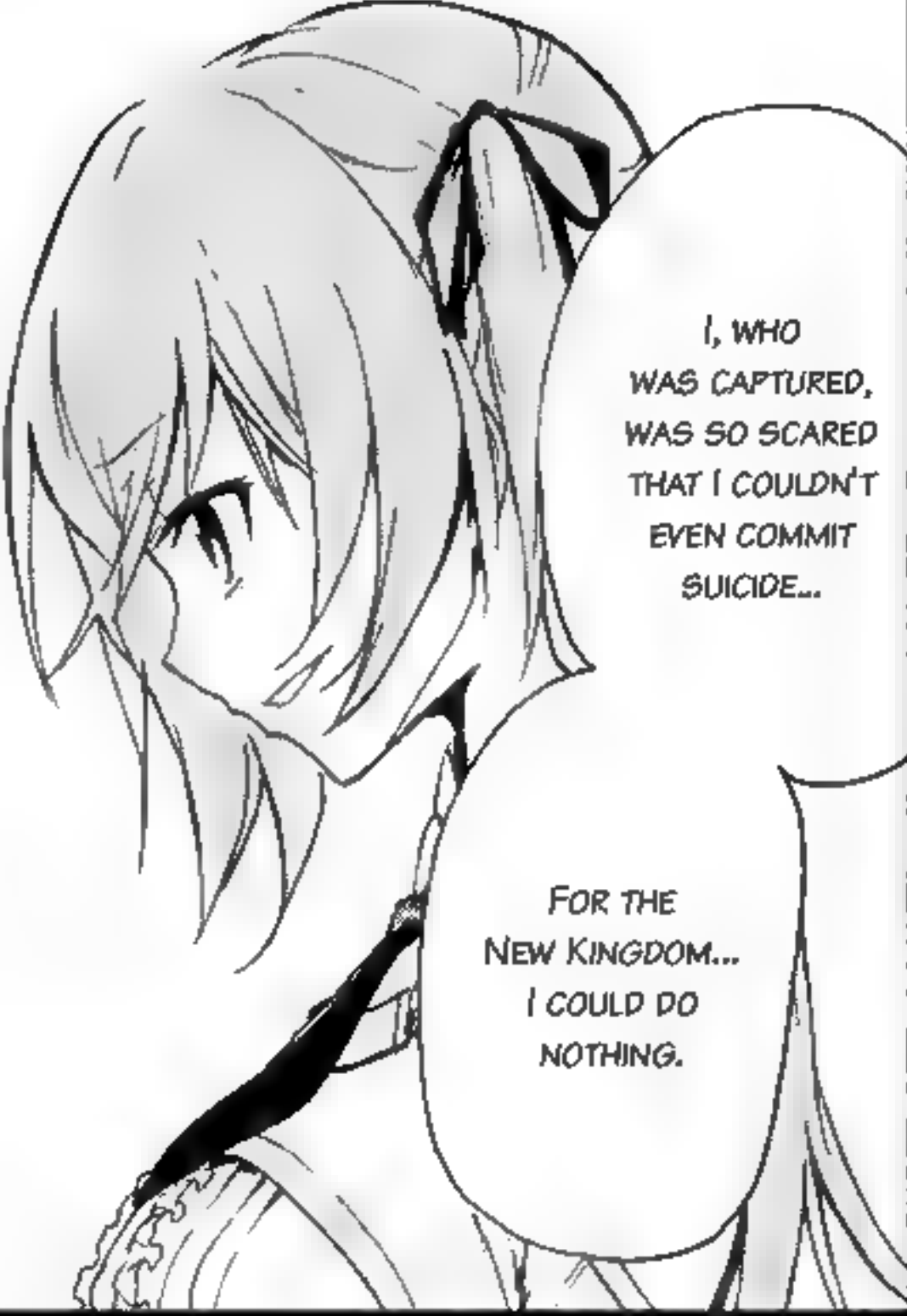




...I WANTED HIM
TO SAVE ME.

I WANTED HIM
TO CHOOSE NOT
THE COUNTRY,
BUT ME...!!





THAT'S WHY
I'M NOT A
PRINCESS,

AND DON'T
HAVE SUCH A
QUALIFICATION.

I, WHO
WAS CAPTURED,
WAS SO SCARED
THAT I COULDN'T
EVEN COMMIT
SUICIDE...

FOR THE
NEW KINGDOM...
I COULD DO
NOTHING.

I'M A
HOPELESS
PERSON,
RIGHT?



AFTER ALL... IT
ISN'T ANYONE
BUT HERSELF

WHO THINKS
THAT SHE IS
UNQUALIFIED.

SO...
THAT'S WHY
SHE HATES
TO BEHAVE
LIKE A PRIN-
CESS, HUH



LUX...

LET'S TALK
ABOUT THE
REASON WHY I
INVITED YOU.



DRAG-RIDES
ARE INVOLVED IN
ALL OF THESE.

THE TURF
WAR FOR
RESOURCES
WITH OTHER
COUNTRIES,

THE
INVESTI-
GATION
OF THE
RUINS,

PEACE
AND SOVE-
REIGNTY...

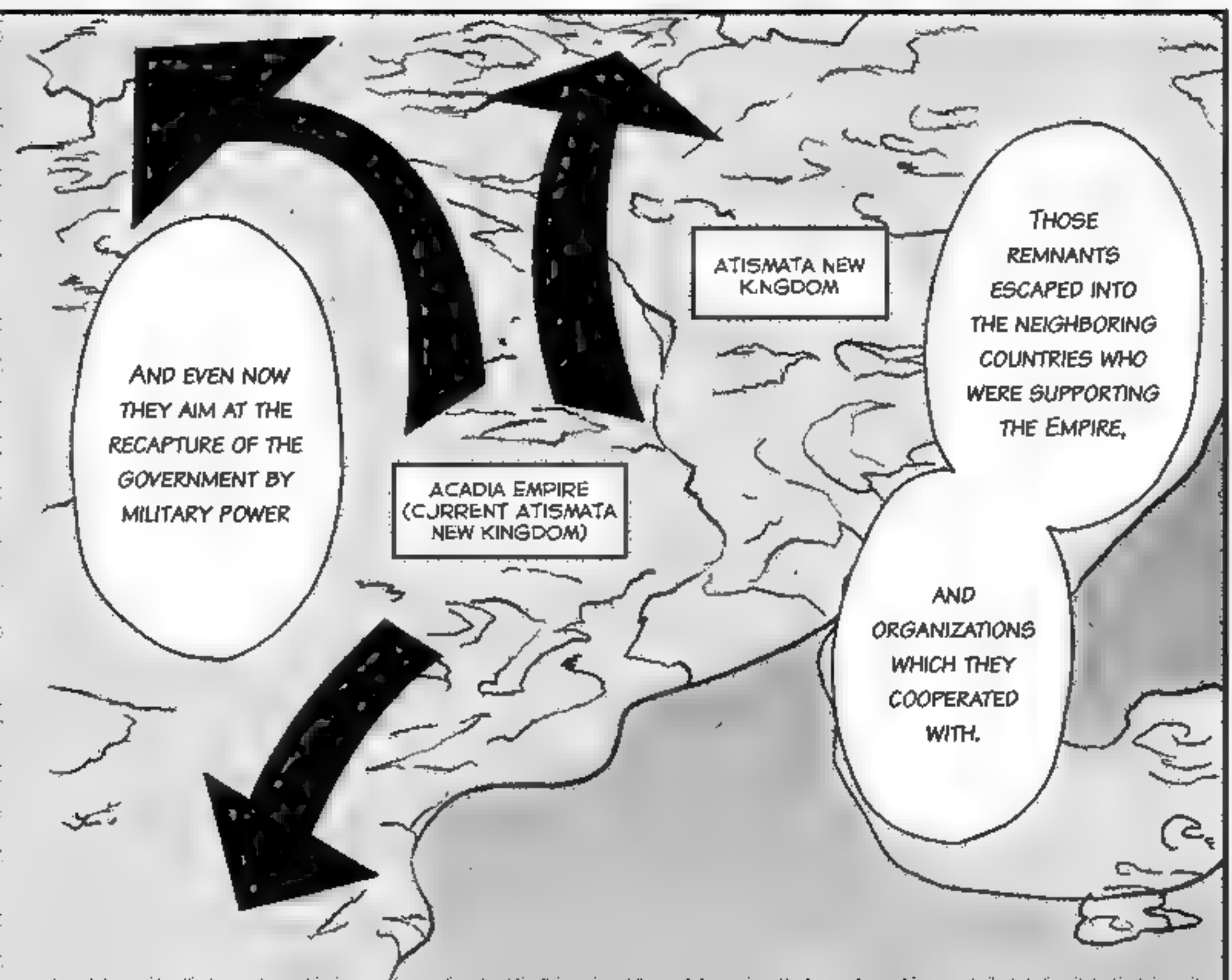
THAT ONE
DOESN'T KNOW
WHEN THEY MIGHT
OCCUR, RIGHT?

YOU
KNOW THAT
CURRENTLY
IN THIS NEW
KINGDOM THERE
ARE "THREE
CRISES,"

THIS IS
BECAUSE IN
THIS ERA, DRAG-
KNIGHTS ARE
EVERYTHING.



FIRST, THE REBEL ARMY OF THE OLD EMPIRE.



THE SECOND IS THE ABYSS.



FROM THE RUINS
THEMSELVES,

OR AROUND
THEM.

THE
VARIOUS AND
MYSTERIOUS
BEASTS WHICH
FREQUENT

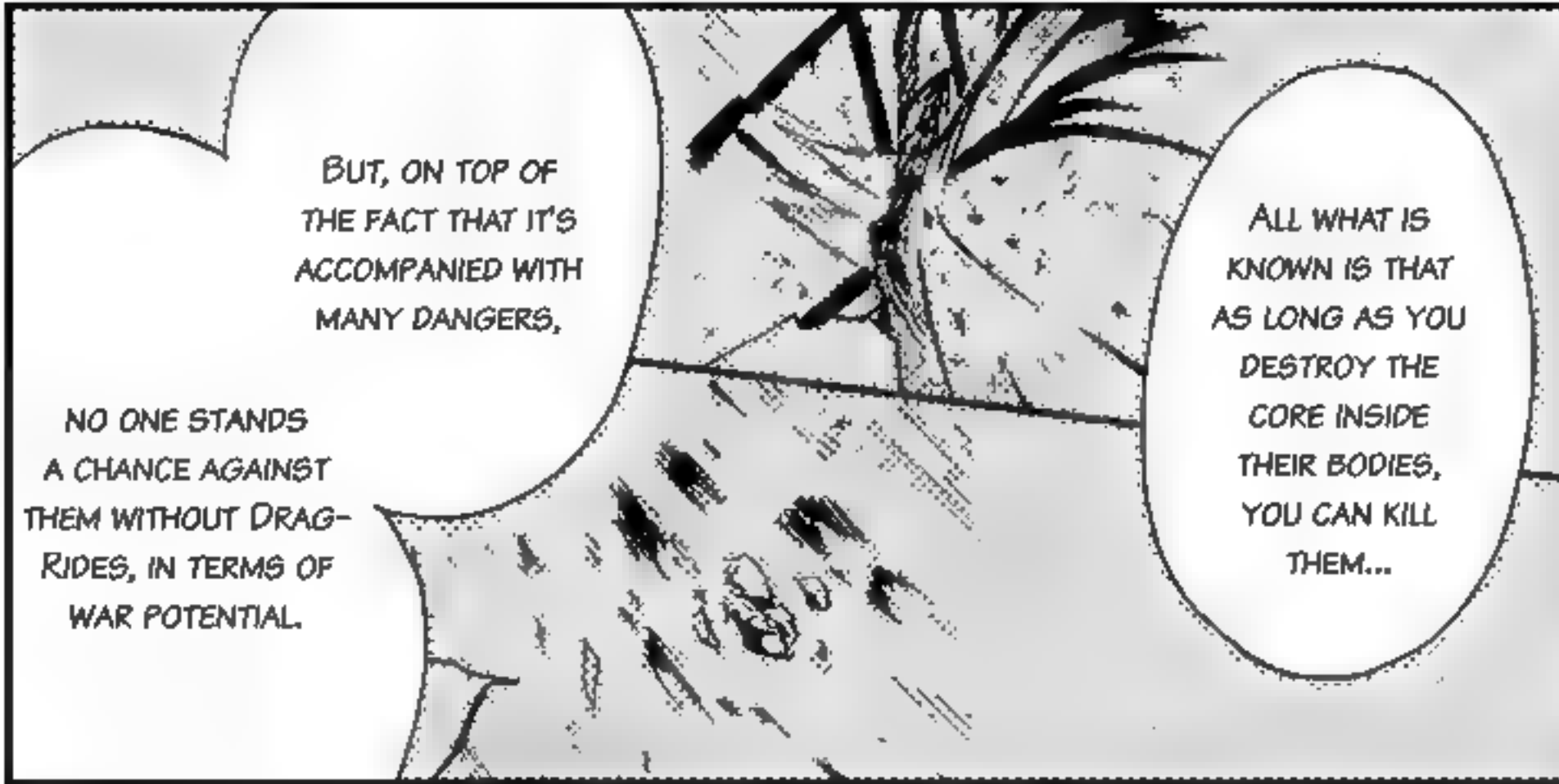


THERE
ARE ALSO
PRECEDENTS
WHERE SMALL
NATIONS THEM-
SELVES WERE
DESTROYED
IN ONLY ONE
NIGHT.

AS A
RESULT
OF HAVING
GREEDILY
FORCED AN
INVESTIGA-
TION...



WHILE
KNOWING
THAT VARIOUS
TREASURES ARE
EXCAVATED FROM
THE RUINS INCLU-
DING DRAG-
IT'S MAINLY RIDES,
BECAUSE OF THE
ABYSS THAT THE
INVESTIGATION OF
THE RUINS DOESN'T
READILY PROGRESS.



BUT, ON TOP OF
THE FACT THAT IT'S
ACCOMPANIED WITH
MANY DANGERS,

NO ONE STANDS
A CHANCE AGAINST
THEM WITHOUT DRAG-
RIDES, IN TERMS OF
WAR POTENTIAL.

ALL WHAT IS
KNOWN IS THAT
AS LONG AS YOU
DESTROY THE
CORE INSIDE
THEIR BODIES,
YOU CAN KILL
THEM...



THE RUINS DISCOVERED
IN THE COUNTRY WERE
DESIGNATED OFF-LIMITS
AND FORBIDDEN,

AND STRICTLY
CONTROLLED BY THE
ARMY GARRISON.

THEREFORE,
ANCIENT WEAPONS
AND RESOURCES ARE
DUG ILLEGALLY BY
THIEVES DAMAGING
THE RUINS.

AND MOREOVER
SO THAT ABYSS
DID NOT END UP
BEING SUMMONED,

THIRDLY, IS THE TURF WAR WITH OTHER COUNTRIES REGARDING THE INVESTIGATION ACTIVITY OF THE RUINS.

SO AS NOT
TO SELFISHLY GET
INTO THE RUINS OF
ANOTHER COUNTRY,
AN AGREEMENT IS
ALSO ESTABLISHED.

EVERY CORNER
OF THE WORLD IS
DOTTED WITH
RUINS.
AND THE COUNTRIES
WHO MANAGE THOSE
LANDS ARE BASICALLY
FURTHERING THEIR
INVESTIGATIONS.

FOR ONE
OF THOSE
PLACES, AN
AGREEMENT
DID YOU WAS MADE...
KNOW?

ALONG THE
BORDER, THERE
ARE ALSO RUINS OF
UNCLEAR TERRITORY.
AS WE DON'T KNOW
WHICH COUNTRY THE
TERRITORY BELONGS
TO, INCLUDING
DISTANT SEA
AREAS.

HOWEVER,
IF THE WEAK
CARELESSLY
ADVANCE THEIR
INVESTIGATION,

IT MIGHT INCUR
DAMAGE EVEN TO
THE SURROUNDINGS
COUNTRIES BY THE
ABYSS' APPEARANCE...



THAT'S
RIGHT.

RUIN
INVESTIGATION
RIGHTS!!

ERRR...

AH!



IT'S
CALLED "DRAGON
COMPETITION"!!

IN ORDER
TO INVESTIGATE
THE RUINS, RUINS
INVESTIGATION
RIGHTS ARE
NECESSARY

AND IN ORDER
TO PARTICIPATE
IN THAT DRAGON
COMPETITION,
IT'S NECESSARY
TO WIN THE
"CAMPUS
SELECTION
BATTLES"!!

AND IN ORDER
TO GAIN THOSE
INVESTIGATION
RIGHTS, A MOCK
BATTLE OF DRAG-
KNIGHTS IS HELD
IN EACH COUNTRY
ONCE EVERY
SEVERAL MONTHS

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DRAGON COMPETITION

**REPRESENTATIVE
MEMBERS: 12 PEOPLE**

**CAMPUS SELECTION
CHOICE**

IN THE "DRAGON
COMPETITION"
WHICH WILL BEGIN
IN TWO MONTHS.

I SHALL
HAVE GATHERED
THE STRONGEST
UNIT!

LUX,

I NEED YOUR
POWER!



I SAID IT RIGHT?
THAT IN THIS AREA,
DRAG-KNIGHTS ARE
EVERYTHING!

US BECOMING
STRONG WILL, IN A
SENSE, BE GOOD FOR
THIS COUNTRY.

AND...

I'LL
KNOW WHO I AM,
AFTER BECOMING
THE STRONGEST
DRAG-KNIGHT!



YOU
HAVE NO
OBJECTION,
RIGHT?

CHORE
PRINCE!

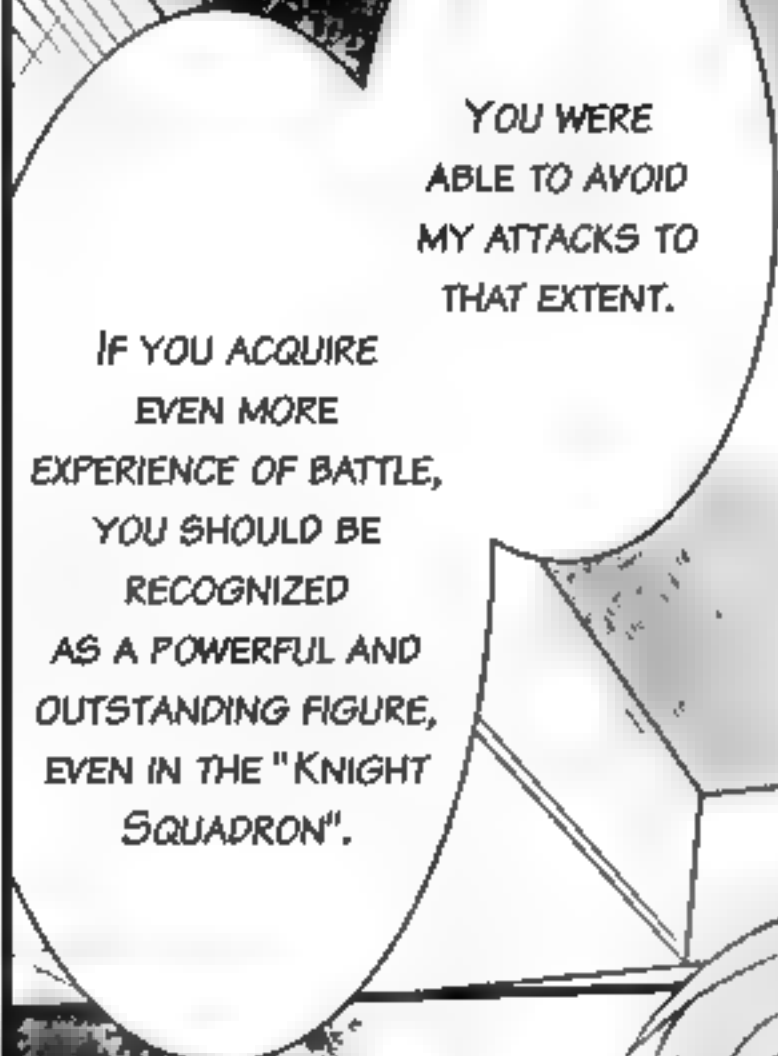
I WILL HAVE YOU PLAY AN
ACTIVE ROLE AS MY RIGHT
HAND IN THE "KNIGHT
SQUADRON!"



AN ABLE
WOMAN IS
ALSO QUICK
IN MAKING
DECISIONS.



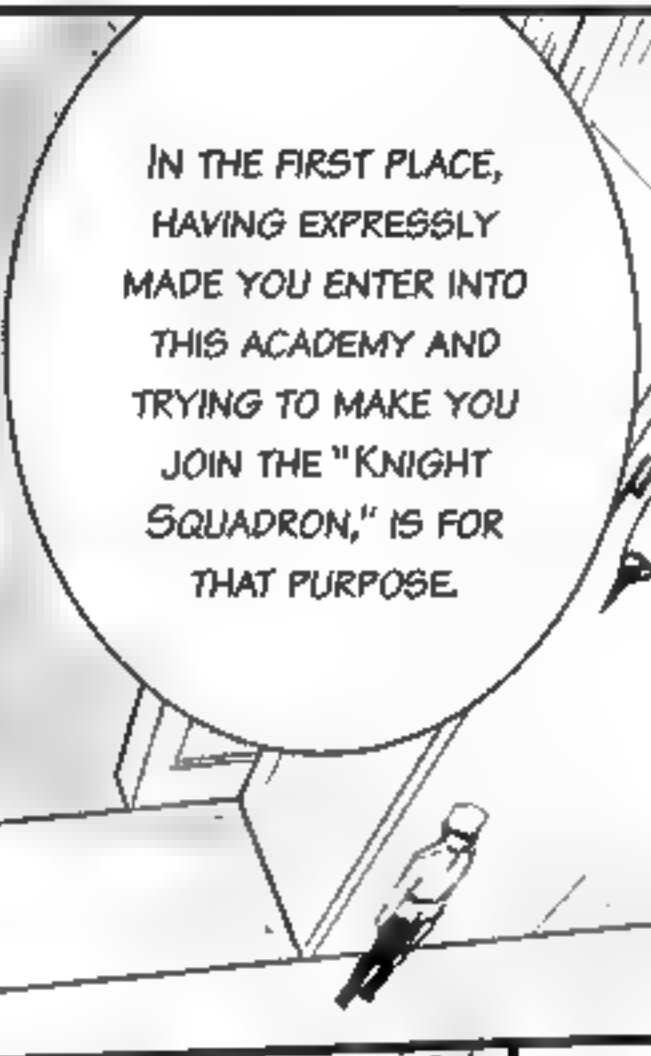
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OBJECTION?
HAVEN'T YOU
ALREADY
DECIDED?



IF YOU ACQUIRE
EVEN MORE
EXPERIENCE OF BATTLE,
YOU SHOULD BE
RECOGNIZED
AS A POWERFUL AND
OUTSTANDING FIGURE,
EVEN IN THE "KNIGHT
SQUADRON".



YOU WERE
ABLE TO AVOID
MY ATTACKS TO
THAT EXTENT.



IN THE FIRST PLACE,
HAVING EXPRESSLY
MADE YOU ENTER INTO
THIS ACADEMY AND
TRYING TO MAKE YOU
JOIN THE "KNIGHT
SQUADRON," IS FOR
THAT PURPOSE.



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A-AND, IN THE
FUTURE AS M-MY
FIRST PARTNER...



ERRR... THEN,
I'VE SOMETHING
TO DO IN MY
ATELIER, SO...

W-WELL,
WHATEVER!
I'M DONE WITH
OUR TALK!!



HUH?

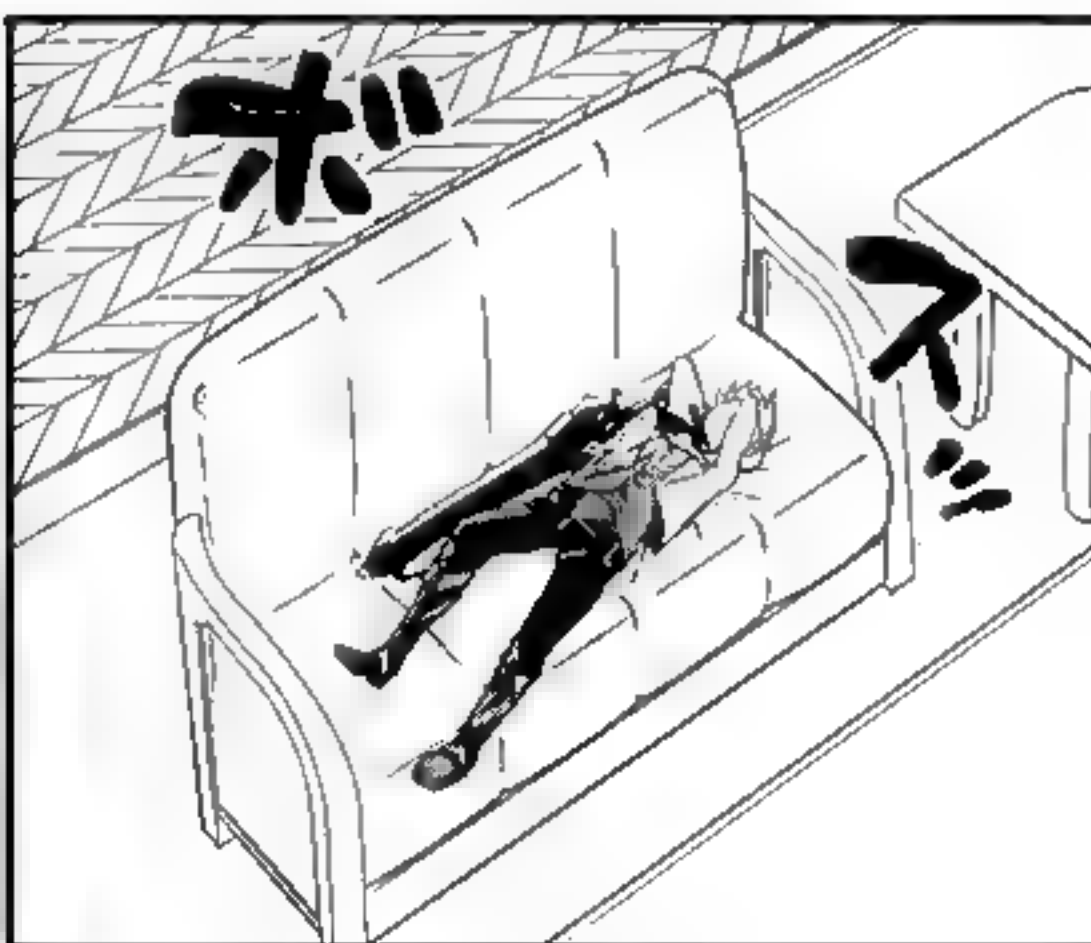
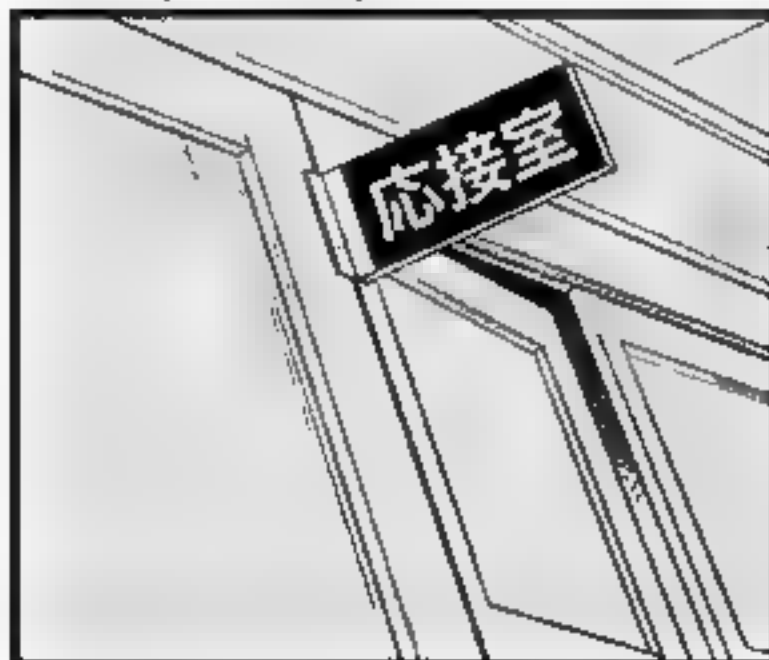


THEN, TAKE
CARE OF ME
AGAIN, LUX!



...YES,
LISHA-
SAMA...

DOOR SIGN: DRAWING ROOM





"YOU SHOULD
BEHAVE LIKE A
PRINCESS..."

EVEN
THOUGH I
HAVE NO
RIGHT TO
SAY,



THAT I
FLATTERED
THE PRINCESS
WITH, AS I
TRIED TO
ACT LIKE A
CITIZEN AT
THAT TIME...

HAVING
LOST MY
POSITION
OF PRINCE
HAS ITS
GOOD
POINTS...

I WANTED
TO BETTER
UNDERSTAND
THOSE WORDS,
"FOR THE
PEOPLE'S
SAKE"



AFTER
I BECAME
THE CHORE
PRINCE, I
WAS SAVED
FOR THE
FIRST TIME.

I CAME IN
CONTACT WITH
THE PEOPLE OF
THE TOWN, WITH
WHOM I COULDN'T
GET IN TOUCH
UNTIL NOW I
FELT LIKE HAVING
SLIGHTLY GOTTEN
USED TO BEING
A FAMILIAR
EXISTENCE.



FOR THE NEW
KINGDOM... I
WASN'T ABLE TO
DO ANYTHING.



WHAT IS A
PRINCESS?



A black and white manga-style illustration of a young man with short, light-colored hair sitting on a large, dark, cylindrical object that resembles a gun barrel. He is wearing a light-colored, open-collared shirt and dark pants. He is looking down and to the right with a thoughtful expression, his right hand resting on his forehead. The background is dark and indistinct.

TO MAKE A SOCIETY
AND LAWS WITHOUT
UNEQUAL AND UNFAIR
DISCRIMINATION?

WHAT HAVE
I DONE FOR
THE PEOPLE'S
SAKE?

AS A PRINCE...
WHAT DID I WANT
TO ACCOMPLISH?

A close-up, black and white manga-style illustration of a character's face. The character has dark hair and is looking slightly to the left with a serious expression. The background is dark and textured.

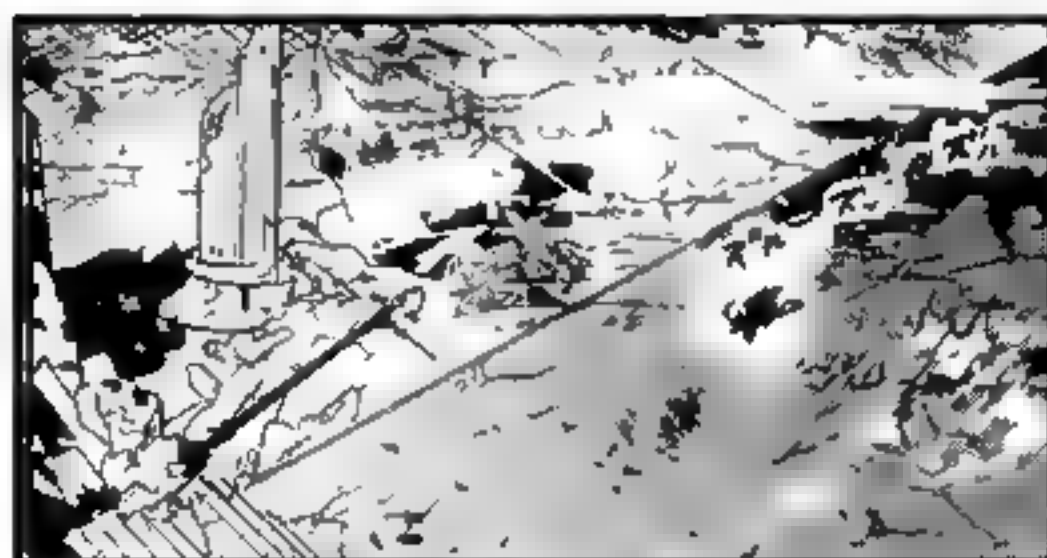
NO, IT'S FINE WITHOUT
SOMETHING LIKE THAT...

AT THAT
TIME...

BUT, I

SIX YEARS AGO. ACADIA EMPIRE...

THE DAY OF THE COUP D'ÉTAT...





HIS MAJESTY
THE EMPEROR...!!





TO BE
ABLE TO USE
THAT DRAG-RIDE
UNTIL YOU VOMIT
BLOOD...

I WANT EVEN THIS
GUTLESS EMPEROR TO
FOLLOW YOUR EXAMPLE
IN THE NETHERWORLD..!



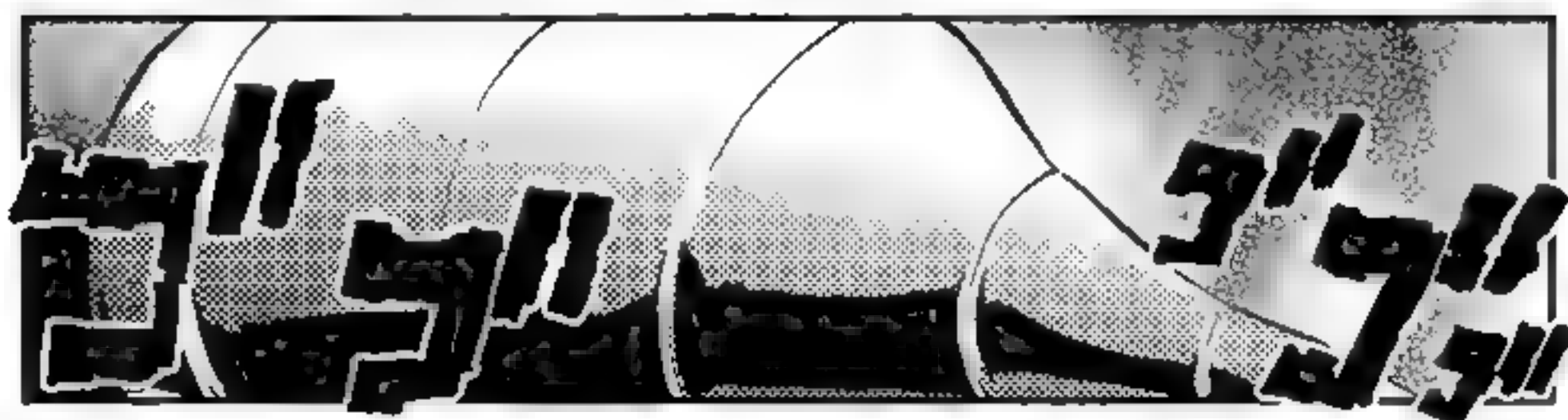
AS EXPECTED
OF YOU, LITTLE
BROTHER...



FIRST
PRINCE
FUGIL...









FROM THE
BEGINNING,

I WASN'T
A PRINCE OF
THIS EMPIRE.

MY PURPOSE

ISN'T
THE PEACE
THAT YOU
DESIRED.

GOOD WORK

FOR
DESTROYING
THE EMPIRE,
EH!



GODDAMN
PRINCE!





**YOU ARE
NOT IN THE
CALIBER OF
KINGS...**

**BUT
RATHER THE
WEAKEST!**

**YOU KNOW
NOTHING OF
THE WORLD!**

THAT I
REGAINED
CONSCIOUS-
NESS.

IT WAS A
MORNING
SEVEN DAYS
AFTER THE
WAR WAS
OVER.

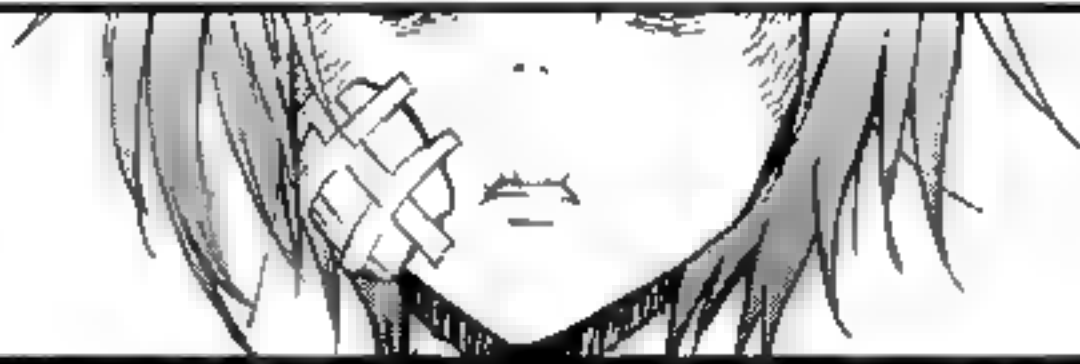


**THE SUCCESS OF
THE COUP D'ÉTAT...**



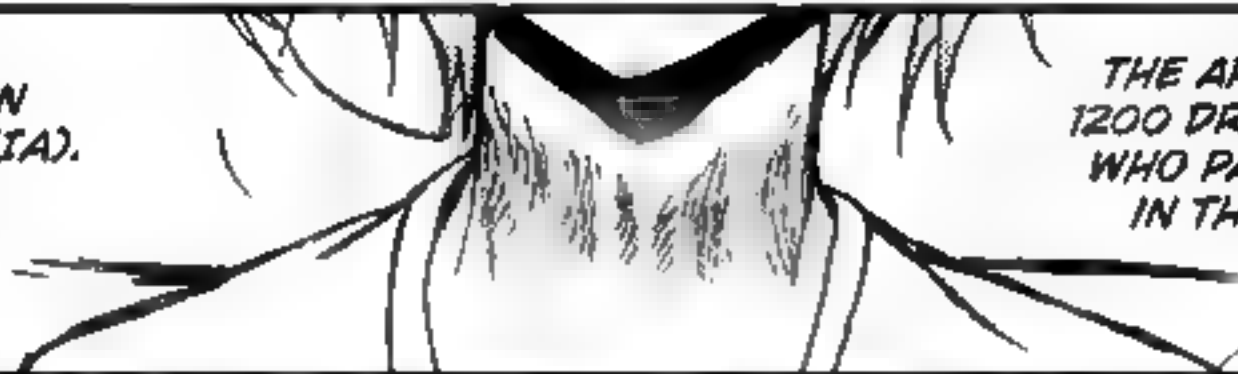
**THE IMPERIAL
ARMY'S DEFEAT.
THE ACADIA
EMPIRE'S
DOWNFALL.**

**MOST OF
THEM WERE
CONFIRMED
DEAD.**



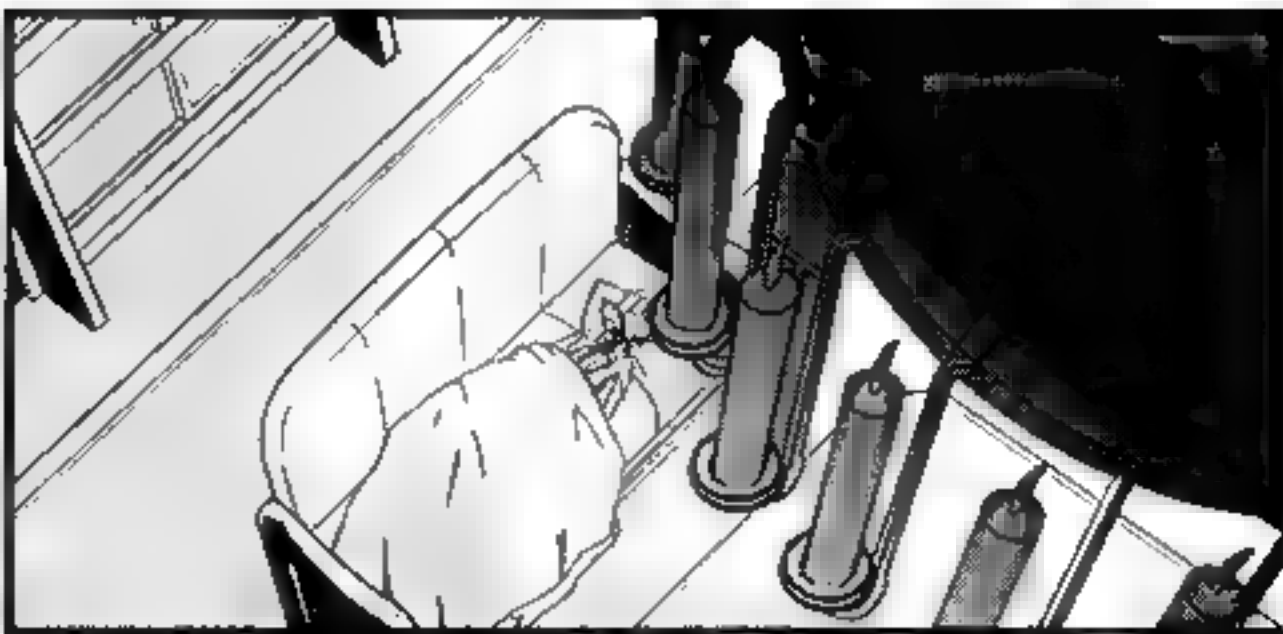
**THE IMPERIAL
ARMY ROYALTY
AS WELL AS
IMPORTANT
PERSONS,**

**KILLED IN
ACTION (KIA).**



**THE APPROXIMATE
1200 DRAG-KNIGHTS
WHO PARTICIPATED
IN THE BATTLE,**

**THE IDEAL
END TO WHICH
I BELIEVED IN,
WAS NOWHERE...**



DID I TAKE A
BLANKET...

...HUH?

A DREAM
AGAIN...
I OFTEN
RECALLED IT...
ESPECIALLY
RECENTLY.



GOOD
MORNING.



IT IS STILL
EARLY MORNING,
YOU KNOW? I
DON'T THINK IT'S
A GOOD IDEA TO
SHOUT TOO
MUCH.

YOU
WERE QUITE
HAGRIDDEN...

KRULCIFER-
SAN!?



RATHER, WHY
IS KRULCIFER-
SAN IN A PLACE
LIKE THIS?

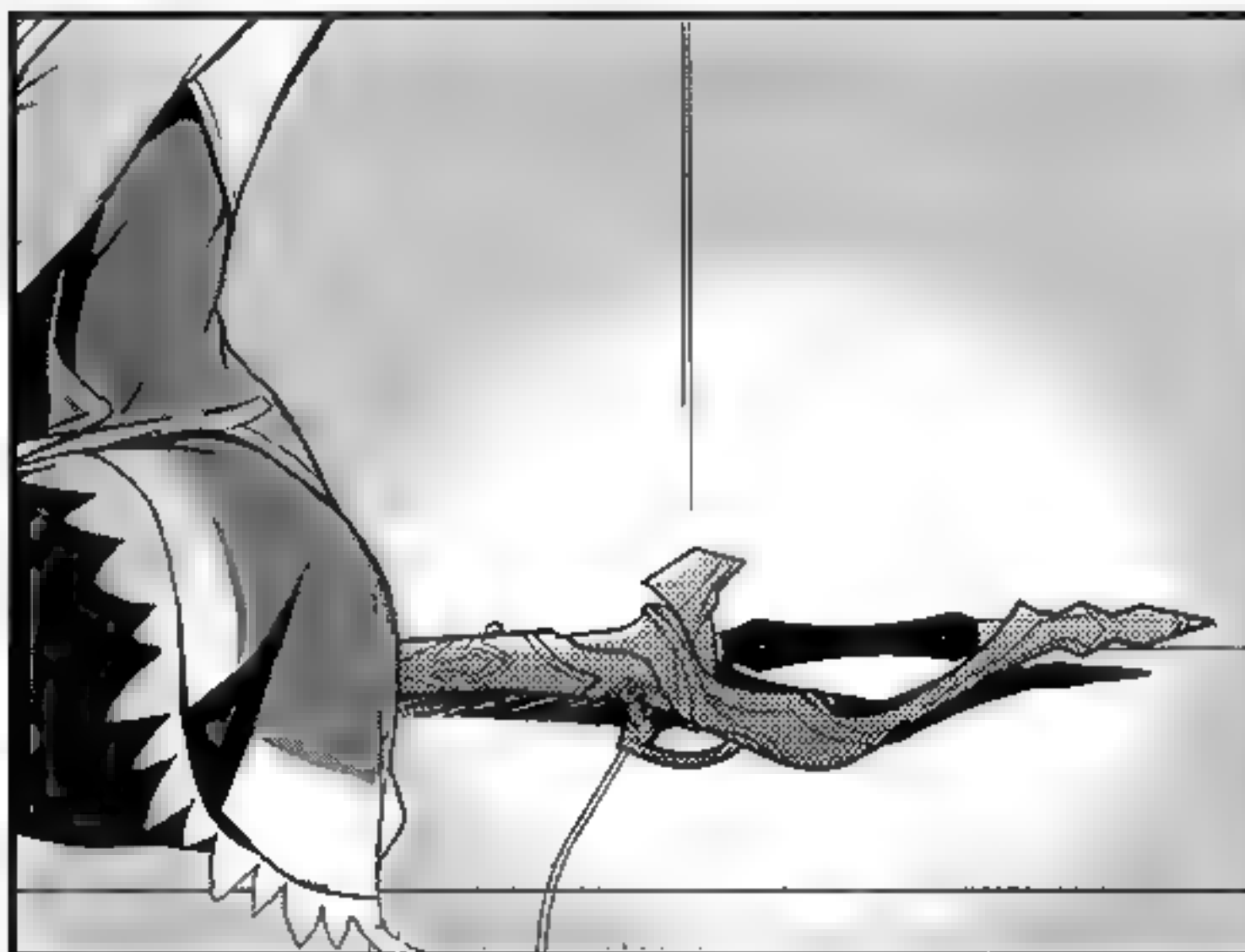
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SORRY!



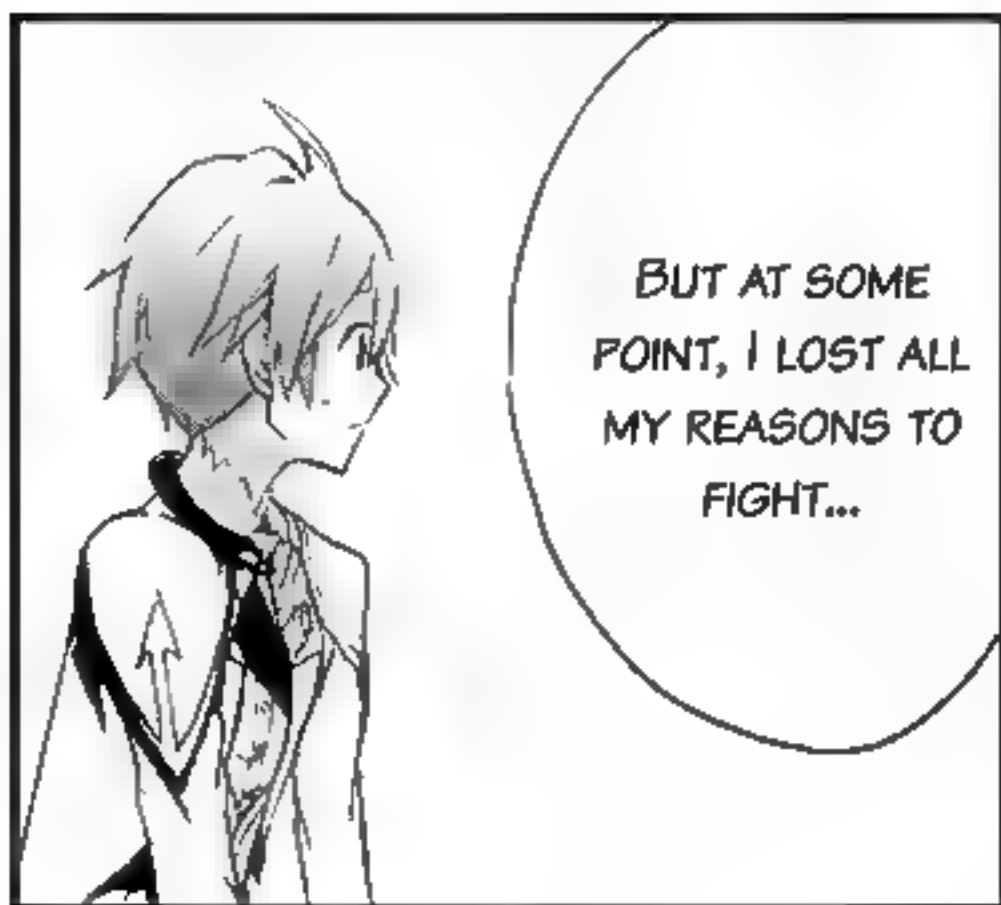
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IT ISN'T LIKE
THE DRAWING
ROOM IS YOUR
PRIVATE ROOM.







BUT AT SOME
POINT, I LOST ALL
MY REASONS TO
FIGHT...



AND I GOT
MY HANDS ON
<FAFNIR>.



LONG AGO,
I TRIED HARD
AND FOUGHT FOR
SOMEONE PRECIOUS
TO ME...



ONE OF THE
KEYS TO FIGURE
IT OUT IS THE
"BLACK HERO."

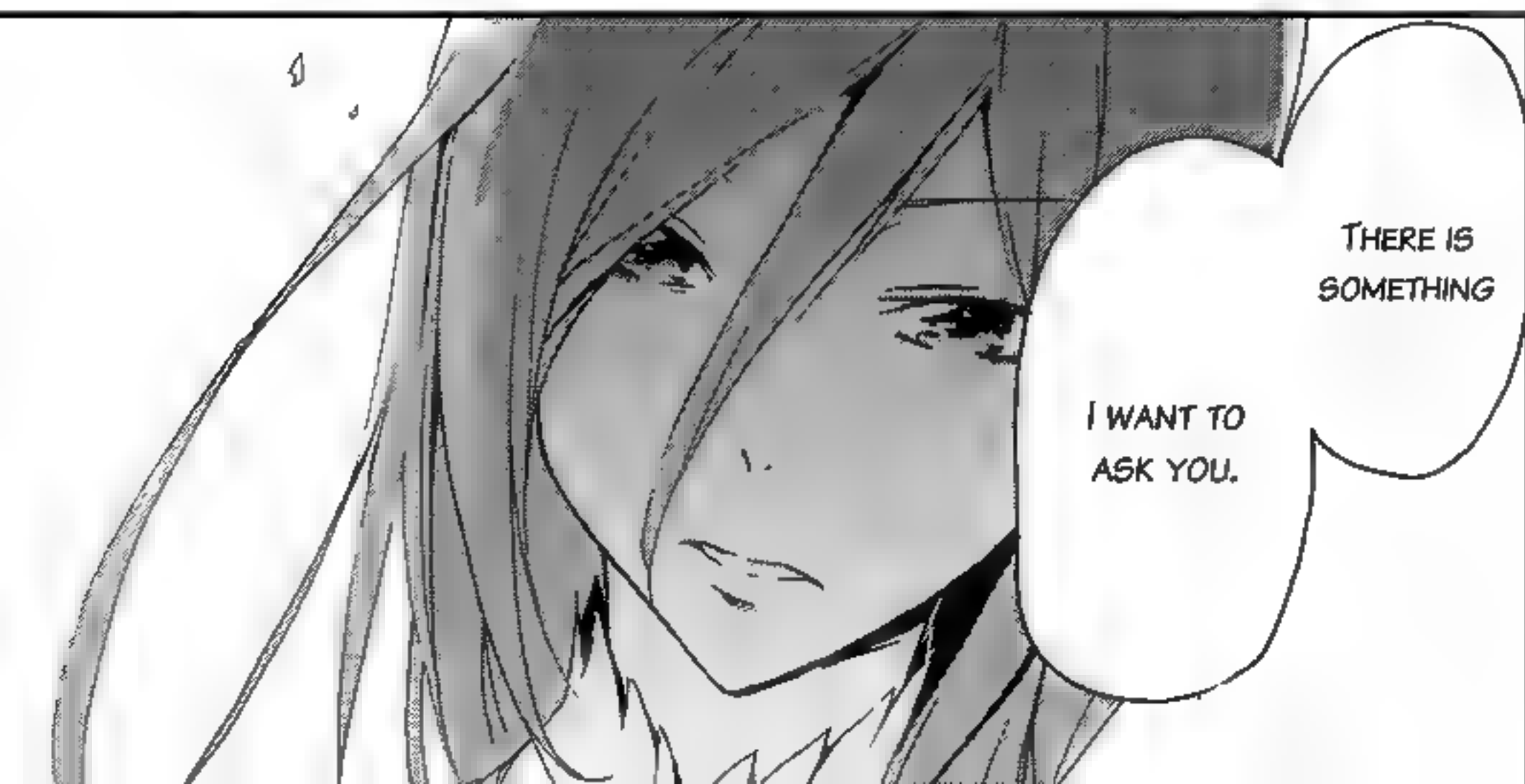
THERE IS
ONLY ONE
TRUTH WHICH
REMAINS IN
ME...

THAT IS WHY...
I CHASE AFTER IT.



HEY...
LUX-KUN...

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THERE IS
SOMETHING

I WANT TO
ASK YOU.



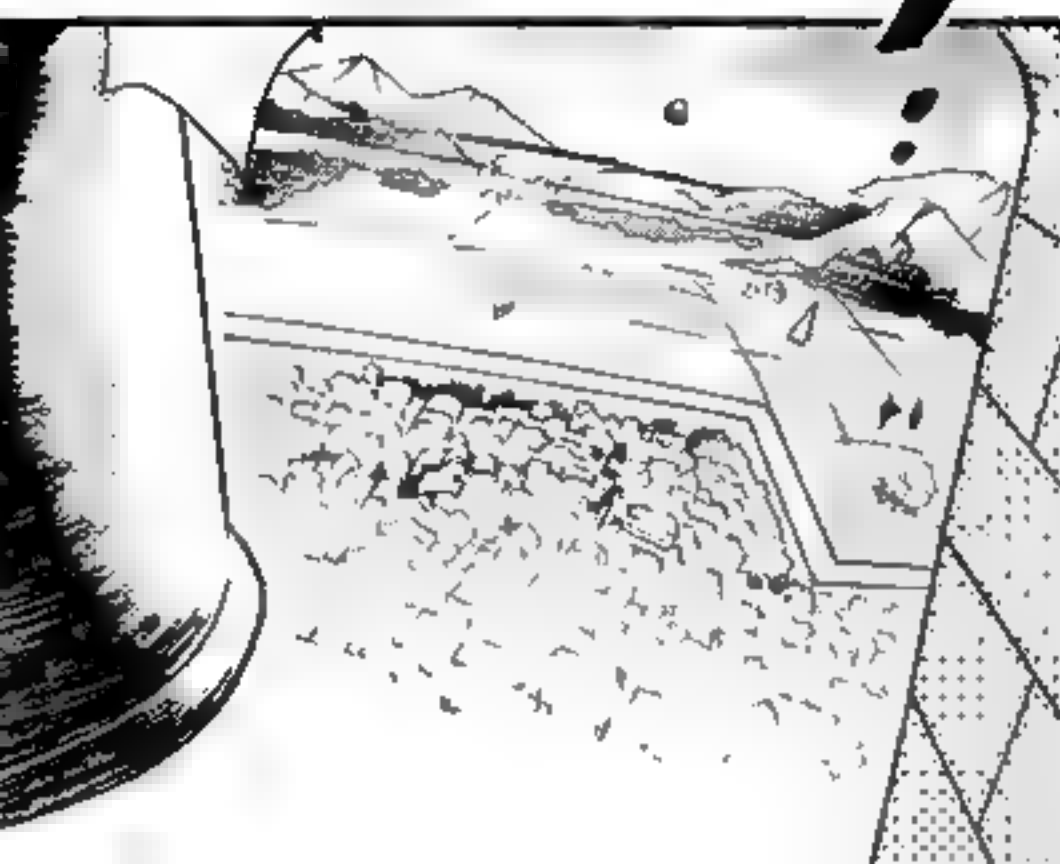
THE CRIMINAL
OF THE COUP D'ÉTAT
WHICH SHOT DOWN
NUMEROUS
MACHINE
DRAGONS ON
THAT DAY,

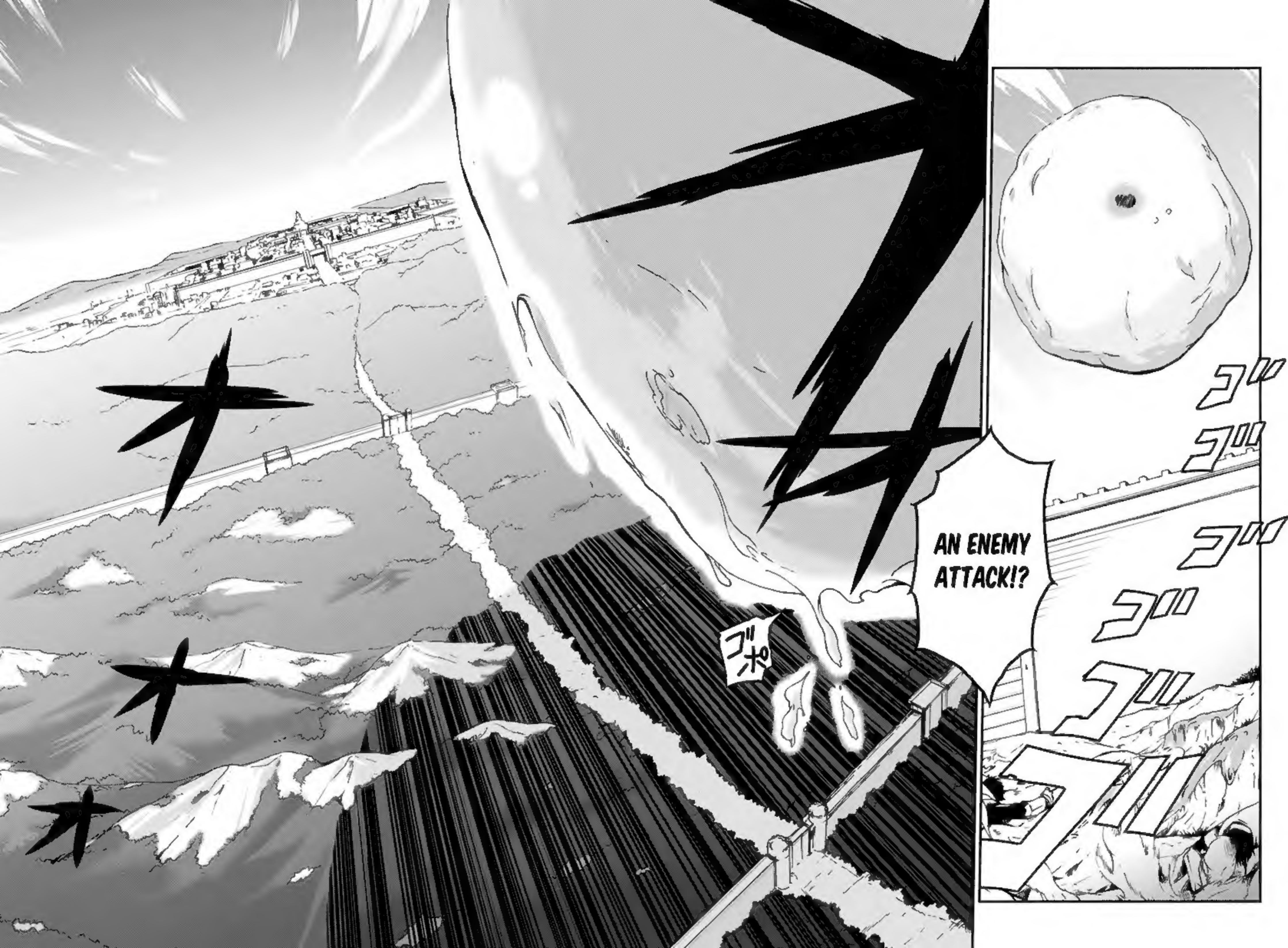
AND OVERTHREW
THE EMPIRE...!!!



THE TRUE
IDENTITY OF
THE "BLACK
HERO..."







AN ENEMY
ATTACK!?



Suddenly the enemy attacks...



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